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IN RE APPLICATION OF: Michael G. NATHANS, et al.      ART UNIT: 3691  
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**NOTICE OF APPEAL**

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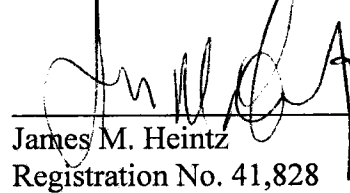
Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated June 15, 2007.

The items checked below are appropriate:

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